780 CMR: MASSACHUSETTS AMENDMENTS TO THE INTERNATIONAL BUILDING CODE 2009

CHAPTER 8: INTERIOR FINISHES

801.5 Replace as follows:

801.5 Applicability. For buildings in flood hazard zones and high hazard zones as established in Appendix G, *interior finishes, trim* and *decorative materials* below the base flood elevation shall be flood-damage-resistant materials.

803.1 At the end of the paragraph add this text:

Foam plastics shall not be permitted as an interior finish in A-2 Nightclubs occupancies with an occupant load of 50 or more unless the rooms in which the foam plastics are installed are equipped with an automatic sprinkler system conforming to the requirements of section 903 and in accordance with the following restrictions:

1. Foamed plastics shall be permitted as interior wall and ceiling finish if the requirements of section 2603.9 are met.

2. Foam plastic shall be permitted for trim (chair rails, crown molding and similar uses) if the requirements of section 2604 are met.

Table 803.9 Add superscript m (R-3^m) to Group R-3 and a Note m. as follows:

Note m: A Group R-3 occupancy subject to licensure by the Department of Mental Health pursuant to 104 CMR 28.00: *Licensing and Operational Standards for Community Programs*, or operated by the Department of Mental Health, shall apply the interior finish requirements specified for Group R-4.

806.1 Replace as follows:

806.1 General Requirements. In all occupancies, curtains, draperies, hangings and other decorative materials suspended from walls or ceilings shall satisfy all applicable requirements of 527 CMR 21.00: *Decorations, Curtains, Draperies, Blinds and Other Window Treatments*.

806.3 Add a second sentence as follows: 'Foam plastic utilized in A-2 Nightclubs is subject section 803.1.'

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